girth, trees yielding minor forest produce and all trees, shrubs and thorny growths that are coming up within a radius of six feet from the sandal trees and saplings.

(*c*) That if any standard trees or other trees and saplings to be preserved on the area are cut, he shall pay a fine not exceeding Rs. 10 per tree.

(*d*) That no timber prepared out of any tree shall be removed unless it is measured and stamped at the stump by the Range Officer or such other Officer as the District Forest Officer may authorise and until it is duly paid for.

(*e*) That each consignment of timber shall be covered by passport issued by the Range Officer or any other officer deputed by the District Forest Officer in this behalf.

(*f*) That he shall abide by the rules of the department as regards the kindling of fire and shall hold himself responsible for any forest offences committed by his agents, employees or workmen.

(*g*) That he shall not effect any forest operation in the forest after sunset and before sunrise.

(*h*) That he shall not sublet the contract to any body except with the written sanction of the District Forest Officer.

(*i*) That he shall have no right whatsoever over the coupe and over the timber paid for but left unremoved in any of the coupes after 30th June 1932.

(*j*) That he shall maintain a register in the form prescribed by the District Forest Officer showing the number os trees felled and the out-turn of timber from each of them and shall keep it open for the examination of Foerst Officers above the grade of guards.

(*k*) That for any breach of any of the conditions of the contract by the contractor or his agents the contract shall be void at the option of the District Forest Officer and that the latter may after issuing to the contractor a notice of the cancellation of contract enforce forfeiture of all or any of the deposit and shall resell the right or work it departmentally at the risk of the contractor as noted in clause (2) *supra*. If the deposit or part thereof is so forfeited it shall be immediately made good by the contractor.

S. VENKATAVARADIENGAR,
District Forest Officer.

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT.

BANGALORE DIVISION.

Abstract Notification dated 21st August 1931.

The attention of the public is invited to *Mysore Gazette* Notification, pages 927 to 928, Part VI, dated 27th August 1931, calling tenders for the construction of a Middle School Building at fort, Bangalore. Last date of receipt of tender is 16th September 1931. Earnest money to be deposited is Rs. 500.

Notification.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the Executive Engineer, Bangalore Division, up to 28th September 1931, for restoring Bidalur Kenchammanakere Registered No. 110 of Devanhalli Taluk.

An approximate estimate of quantities is given below. These quantities are not guaranteed. The work should be completed by the end of June 1933.

2. The plans, detailed estimates and conditions may be seen at the Executive Engineer's Office at Bangalore between the hours of 11 A.M. to 5 P.M.

3. Tenders should be submitted on printed forms which may be obtained from the Executive Engineer. The tenders should be accompanied by a statement in the form given below, showing the rates at which the different items specified will be executed.

4. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 150 (one hundred and fifty) in cash or Government Promissory Notes as earnest money, and be superscribed "Tender for restoring Bidalur Kenchammanakere of Devanhalli Taluk" in default of which, tenders will be rejected.

5. The final acceptance of any tender will rest with the Executive Engineer, who does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender or to assign any reason whatever for the rejection of any tender.

6. Within eight days of the acceptance, of the tender the successful competitor will be required to execute the usual contract bond, in default of which his tender will be considered cancelled and his earnest money will be forfeited.

7. The name of the successful competitor, whose tender has been accepted, will be posted on the notice board in the Executive Engineer's Office in due course. No enquiries regarding the acceptance or rejection of a tender will receive any reply.

8. On acceptance of one of the tenders, the earnest money on rejected tenders will be returned.

9. Percentage rates above or below the estimate amount will not be accepted.

10. No claims for enhanced rates will be entertained on any account after acceptance of tenders.

11. The contractor will be delt with in terms of the bond for any short progress or delay. In matters of all disputes about rates, measurements quality of work, etc., and in all disputes of any kind the decision of the Chief Engineer will be final and legally binding on the contractor.

12. Rates should be quoted both in words and figures for each item of works and lump-sum provisions are subject to modifications as per data worked out during execution. For individual items of work under lumpsum provisions the rates tendered for similar items of works will be paid and for other items, the rates as per schedule of rates will be paid at the discretion of the Executive Engineer.

13. Rates for masonry include bond stones to the required percentage at the required intervals of the quality and size to be specified.

Abstract of quantities.

No.	Items of work	Unit	Rate	Quantity	Remarks
			Rs. a. p.		
	Bund.				
1	Clearing jungle, removal of trees with roots cutting grips and removing ant hills, etc., complete.	Grade		12	
2	Clearing silt and sand using the same beyond the rear toe of the bund.	C.yds.		920	
3	Earthwork to bund with lead and lift and consolidation.	"		9,961	
3a	Draft and approach clearing earth to be used to bund (lead).	"		1,671	
4	Removing old stone and using the same for pitching	"		147	
4a	New stone pitching	"		380	
5	New stone work for breached portion ...	"		286	
6	Turfing	S.yds.		4,746	
7	New grade stones with cutting figures and painting and fixing, complete.	No.		19	
8	Do Index stone	"		19	
9	Do B. M. stones	"		2	
10	Do Register No. and date stone	"		1	
11	Gravel backing	C.yds.		397	
	Constructing a new sluice as per type design ..	Lumpsums.			
	Waste Weir R. L. 53·00.				
1	Earthwork and utilising the same to bund ...	C.yds.		1,671	
2	Burnt brick in surki mortar	C.ft.		302	
3	Burnt stone slabs 6" thick dressed and fixed with surki mortar.	S.ft.		188	
3a	Cutting jogles	No.		25	
4	Plastering with surki mortar	Sqr.		1·10	
5	Rough stone work with jelly backing and wedging	C.yds		25	

N. G. KRISHNA IYENGAR,
Executive Engineer.

SHIMOGA DIVISION.

Abstract Notification.

The attention of the public is hereby invited to the advertisement page No. 944, Par VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 3rd September 1931, calling for the tenders for constructing the extension of Middle School at Anavatty, Sorab Taluk.

Y. RAMASWAMY,
Executive Engineer.